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	A1	US 2005/0267581 A1	12/01/05	Marnay et al.	623/17.14	07/21/05
	A2	US 6,936,071 B1	08/30/05	Marnay et al.	623/17.15	07/02/99
	A3	US 2005/0085917 A1	04/21/05	Marnay et al.	623.17.16	11/30/04
	A4	US 2004/0153157 A1	08/05/04	Keller	623/17.14	03/20/02
	A5	4,759,766	07/26/88	Buettnner-Janz et al.	623/17	09/09/87

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	A7	DE 35 29 761 C2	20.8.85	Germany		No
	A8	DE 30 23 353 A1	21.6.80	Germany		No
	A9	DE 30 23 353 C2	21.6.80	Germany		No
	A10	DE 28 04 936 A1	6.2.78	Germany		No

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	B2	6,682,562 B2	01/27/2004	Viart et al.	623/17.14	03/02/2001
	B3	6,527,804 B1	03/04/2003	Gauchet et al.	623/17.12	12/09/1999
	B4	5,702,451	12/30/1997	Biedermann et al.	623/17	12/29/1995
	B5	5,676,701	10/14/1997	Yuan et al.	623/17	06/07/1995
	B6	5,507,816	04/16/1996	Bullivant	623/17	12/01/1992
	B7	5,401,269	03/28/1995	Buttner-Janz et al.	623/17	03/10/1993
	B8	5,370,697	12/06/1994	Baumgartner	623/17	02/19/1993
	B9	5,314,477	05/24/1994	Marnay	623/17	03/04/1991
	B10	4,820,305	04/11/1989	Harms et al.	623/16	10/30/1987
	B11	US 2005/0251260 A1	11/10/2005	Gerber et al.	623.171.13	02/11/2005
	B12	US 2004/0024460 A1	02/05/04	Ferree	623/17.12	05/09/2003
	B13	US 2003/0045939 A1	03/06/2003	Casutt	623/17.15	08/23/2002
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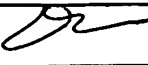
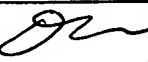
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	B15	DE 299 11 422 U1	2.7.99	Germany	A61F 2/44	No
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	B17	EP 0 610 837 B1	07.02.1994	EPO	A61F 2/44	Yes
	B18	DE 42 13 771 C1	27.4.92	Germany	A61F 2/44	No
	B19	DE 42 08 116 A1	13.3.92	Germany	A61F 2/44	No
	B20	EP 0 356 112 A1	15.08.89	EPO	A61F 2/44	Yes
	B21	DE 22 63 842 A1	28.12.1972	Germany	A61F 1/00	No

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	B23 Derwent English Abstract of DE 42 13 771
	B24 Derwent English Abstract of DE 42 08 116
	B25 Derwent English Abstract of DE 22 63 842
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	C2	2002/0156528	10/24/02	Gau	623/17.11	01/30/02
	C3	5,071,437	12/10/91	Stefee	623/17	11/21/90

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	C4	EP 0 392 076 A1	10/17/90	EPO	A61F 2/44	Yes
	C5	WO 01/008,612 A1	02/08/01	WO	A61F 2/44	Yes, U.S. Patent No. .037,3507
	C6	DE 39 11 610 A1	10/18/90	Germany	A61F 2/44	Yes, Abstract No. C7, below

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